

Greater Occipital Nerve Blockade in Veterans With Post-concussion Headache: Sub-study 1

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Status	RECRUITING
Phase	Phase 1
Sponsor	Yale University
Enrollment	12 participants

Key Eligibility Criteria

Inclusion (5)

- United States Military Veterans within VA Connecticut Healthcare System
- Chronic post-traumatic headache per ICHD-3 criteria (i.e., headaches are continuing to occur three months after the head injury)
- At least two headache days per week
- MRI brain scan completed within the past 3 months if chronic PTH for less than one year, within the past year if chronic PTH for less than 5 years, and within 5 years if chronic PTH for more than 10 years
- Review of MRI and the medical record does not reveal another source for headache

Exclusion (5)

- Skull defect
- Other contraindication to bupivacaine
- Allergy or adverse reaction (e.g., rash, cardiac effects) to amide anesthetics, such as lidocaine
- Instruction from clinician to avoid amide anesthetics, such as lidocaine
- Pregnant or lack of adequate birth control

Locations (1 total)

VA Connecticut Healthcare System, West Haven, Connecticut, United States